REMARKS

Applicants have amended the specification to clarify that the added paragraph is intended for government right statement. No new matter has been added by way of this amendment.

Except for issue fees payable under 37 CFR §1.18, the commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the pendency of this application including fees due under 37 CFR §1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1283.

If the Examiner has any further questions relating to this Reply or to the application in general, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone so that allowance of the present application may be expedited.

Dated: May 11, 2010

COOLEY GODWARD KRONISH LLP ATTN: Patent Group 777 6th Street NW, Suite 1100 Washington, DC 20001

Tel: (202) 842-7800

Fax: (202) 842-7899

Respectfully submitted, COOLEY GODWARD KRONISH LLP

By: Erich E. Veitenheimer, Ph.D

Reg. No. 40,420

Co